GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DISINVESTMENT
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MARKET VALUE OF SHARES OF PSUS FOR DISINVESTMENT
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Will the Minister of DISINVESTMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether a number of Public Sector Undertakings were earmarked for disinvestment over two years ago;

(b) if so, the details thereof and the names of such PSUs which are targeted for disinvestment in 2000-2001;

(c) whether most of these PSUs are fast losing their market shares;

(d) if so, the value of market shares two years ago and the present value of market shares of these PSUs;

(e) the reasons for not Disinvesting their shares;

(f) the total loss suffered due to delay;
(g) whether it has come to the notice of the Government that scripts of the PSUs which are duefor disinvestment in future are being manipulated in the capital market and stock exchange; and
(h) if so, the details thereof and the steps taken by the Government to monitor the scripts of PSUs to prevent such manipulation?

Answer

Minister of State of the Department of Disinvestment (Shri Arun Shourie)

(a) to (h) Information is being collected.